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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Makoto SOGA Takashi SEKI

Serial No.: 10/761,663

Filing Date: January 20, 2004

For: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, MOBILE

COMMUNICATION NETWORK,

CONTENTS SERVER, PROGRAM AND

RECORDING MEDIUM

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Group Art Unit No.: 2681

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Prior art reference A1 is in Japanese. Applicants are submitting an English abstract of the reference.

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Applicant(s) respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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